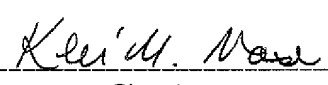
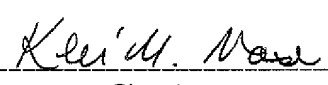
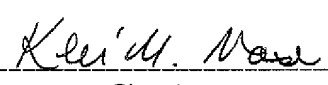


Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

<b>NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES</b>		Docket Number (Optional) <b>YOR920030213US1</b>									
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to 'Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington D C 20231' on _____  Signature _____ Typed or printed name _____		In re Application of <b>Knebel et al.</b> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Application Number</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">Filed</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">10/643,549</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">August 19, 2003</td> </tr> </table> For Frequency Modification Techniques that Adjust an Operating Frequency to Compensate for Aging Electronic Components <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Group Art Unit</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">Examiner</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">2138</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">Dipakkumar B. Gandhi</td> </tr> </table>		Application Number	Filed	10/643,549	August 19, 2003	Group Art Unit	Examiner	2138	Dipakkumar B. Gandhi
Application Number	Filed										
10/643,549	August 19, 2003										
Group Art Unit	Examiner										
2138	Dipakkumar B. Gandhi										
<p>Applicant hereby <b>appeals</b> to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.</p> <p>The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)) <span style="float: right;">\$ <u>500.00</u></span></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: <span style="float: right;">\$ _____</span></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>50-0510</u>. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed.</p> <p><b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b></p> <p>I am the</p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 60%; vertical-align: top;"> <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.   <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest.            See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)   <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record.   <input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a)            Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____         </td> <td style="width: 40%; vertical-align: top; text-align: center;">             _____            Signature   <u>Kevin M. Mason</u>            _____            Typed or printed name   <u>February 26, 2007</u>            _____            Date         </td> </tr> </table> <p>NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below*.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> *Total of _____ forms are submitted.</p>				<input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.  <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record.  <input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____	 _____ Signature  <u>Kevin M. Mason</u> _____ Typed or printed name  <u>February 26, 2007</u> _____ Date						
<input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.  <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record.  <input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____	 _____ Signature  <u>Kevin M. Mason</u> _____ Typed or printed name  <u>February 26, 2007</u> _____ Date										